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CARLSTADT PROGRESS

DON'T WAIT-ADVERTISE NOW

Volume I.

CARLSTADT, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1912

NO. 27

NEW READY TO WEAR GOODS JUST ARRIVED

Colored House Dresses, \$1.75, \$2.00
White Tailored Waists, 1.25 to 1.50
White Lingerie Waists, 1.00 to 2.50
Princess Slips, 2.50
White Muslin Underskirts, 3.50
Corset Covers 30c to 50c
Night Gowns, 1.25 to 1.50
Fancy White Aprons, 50c
Baby Bibs, 25c up

New Ladies' and Gents' Ties

Boots and Shoes for everyone

A new supply of Gloves, the kind with the lace around the thumbs.

Full Line of Groceries at
Right Prices

H. R. BEAN

John Deere PLOWS

Dain Mowers and
Rakes

John Deere Binders

PLYMOUTH TWINE

Anything from a

Walking Plow

to a

Threshing Rig

DON'T FORGET US

when you want
GOOD GOODS

F. E. McDIARMID, AGENT

Sit Down and Listen

Look for this
Sign

when you go to buy paint.
In other words, come to
us when you have any
painting to do.



SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS
are the highest quality and will give you
the greatest satisfaction. There's a partic-
ular product for every purpose. We have
a full line of S-W. Products.

The humming
birds are coming,
and with them our
complete stock of
Screen doors and
Windows, which if
you will stay behind
them we will guarantee you
won't be hurt.

Our Paint, Hardware, and
Wire stock are now complete
so if you contemplate fencing
or building, give us a call.

A. J. DRUMMOND & CO. Hardware Merchants.



Use BEAVER BOARD, the Walls and Ceilings
of Your New or Remodeled Building

IT costs less than lath and plaster, lumber, or metal; is more quickly
and easily put up; is durable, sanitary and artistic.

It will not crack, chip or deteriorate with age; it deadens sound,
keeps out heat and cold, retards fire, and resists strain or vibration.

Made entirely of selected woods, refined to shape, form and pressed into panels of uniform thickness, with
handsome polished surfaces. Made in convenient sizes for every purpose. Small quantities furnished for making
many decorative and useful household articles. Full instructions for application. Apply to

FINLAY & CO., Sole Agents

C. H. WAGNER, Manager

THOM. SWANBY Hardware, Furniture Men who Know Use the DeLAVAL Cream Separator

Does it not mean a great deal to YOU, the prospective buyer of a Cream Separator, that such men as Hon. Levi P. Morton, Ex-Vice Pres't United States; F. L. Houghton, Sec'y Holstein Breeders' Ass'n; Hon. Whitelaw Reid, U. S. Ambassador to England; Alfred G. Vanderbilt, of that famous family; Hon. W. B. Barney, Iowa State Dairy Commis-
sioner; C. F. Smith, Master Vermont State Grange; Norman B. Ream, of the Pullman Palace Car Co.; Wm. MacKenzie, Pres't Canadian Northern Railway; S. S. Carvallo, Manager the Hearst Newspapers; Hon. Seth Low, Ex-Mayor of New York City, and many others like them, good dairy farmers as well as great leaders in every sphere of human endeavor, each of whom is possessed of much personal experience and a thousand authoritative sources of separator information, are among the 1,375,000 satisfied users of DE-
LAVAL Cream Separators? It's always wise to profit by the experience of others.

LOCAL NEWSNOTES

James Pierce of Brooks was in
town last Friday.

Two land agents of the C.P.R.
were in town the first of the week.

H. R. Morton, representing the
government forestry department,
was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Healy, contractor for the
new Union Bank, was in town last
Saturday.

Farmers report that the wheat
crop is beginning to suffer for want
of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd who have a
homestead fourteen miles north of
Carlstadt, were in town Monday.

Newt Mulligan and Andy Lanes of
Hoskin, drove through here on
Monday on their way to Monarch.

Carlstadt's tonerian parlor is now
located in the Rosenber building,
formerly occupied by McEwen's
druggists.

J. H. Baldwin held Church of
England services in the Methodist
church Sunday afternoon.

Wm. Laird now has commodious
and convenient quarters in his new
barber shop on Broadway.

O. J. Wood's new cottage in the
southeast part of town is progressing
rapidly toward completion.

Don't borrow your neighbor's
paper. Subscribe for one of your
own. Two cents a week pays the
bill.

Note the changes in our advertising
columns this week. It will pay
you to read them and keep familiar
with them.

W. B. Nicholson will give a address
in McDiarmid's new hall tomorrow
night. There ought to be a good
attendance.

There will be a big celebration
on Dominion Day at Medicine Hat
next Monday with a monster par-
ade.

Wm. F. Gilber of Calgary, formerly
manager of the Boston Novelty
Co. of Brooks, was in town Mon-
day.

Remember that you can get
Moline breaking plow lays of
A. S. Lockrem, blacksmith.

It is expected that every business
house in Carlstadt will be closed
next Monday. A number of Carl-
stadt people will spend the day at
Medicine Hat.

The postoffice building was
moved Tuesday to the new site on
Railroad street, just west of Scollard's
building, and is a little more
conveniently located than formerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Hegy of Milwaukee,
who are enjoying a honeymoon trip
are the guests of his brother, E. C.
Hegy and wife and Mr. and Mrs.
Scollard.

James Bussard brought a hand-
ful of flax from his field to Progress
office on Monday that was in bloom
and twenty-eight inches high. Not
much danger of flax like that being
caught by the frost.

J. McClurg bought a new
Rumley separator yesterday
of E. J. Bell the agent.

The Farmers Hotel, formerly
Alasdair Hotel, is now
ready for business. The public
are invited to call and
give us a trial. M. J. House,
proprietor.

Mrs. Adland, Anderson,
Clemens, Hoyle and Estwick
were at Brooks yesterday and
made final proof on their
homesteads.

My enclosed salutes, Bob Roy, who
was injured last spring in a
runaway was now recovered,
all right and ready for service
A. S. Lockrem.

HARD
PRESSED

FRED M. WHITE

LONDON
WARD, LOCK & CO. LIMITED

(Continued)

"There is one other matter," he said, "that I must speak of. But, before I tell you about it, I must tell you that I was forced, your hand. Now I can speak freely. It is this: I lent you that money I quite expected to have the privilege of calling mine. I have the right to do so, for you see, I have had nothing from you. Hardly. In fact, I am afraid she did not even know I had it. But, you like to go on like this and you promised to put a good word for me. I dare say, you will do that. But, you know, I set my heart on this marriage, and it will be well, perhaps, to let your daughter know that this is the reason she doesn't comprehend the position I hold. Tell her yourself."

The man's voice was a ringing ring of command about the last words.

Certainly, Sir George promised. I will do that. But, you know, it is the life of me, understand May's position in the matter. Almost every girl in the world would be afraid of the chance of being Mrs. Raymond Copley. And with her extravagant notions about money, I don't know. But, leave it to me, Copley.

Come over after dinner this evening, and see if we can fix this thing up once and for all.

Sir George returned to Hardeval trying to make the best of a bad self and stated with the turn things had taken. But still as he might be inclined to do, he was not quite wrong. He could not, still, the feeling of conscience. However, he was relieved to learn that Brown on receipt of a telegram which had been brought to him by his maid, had made certain promises. He would call again upon the day, but had left his address, case of George's want to see him to him. It was very poor, and very disreputable, no one was any the wiser, nobody had gained anything. The maid, however, in the fullness of his heart Sir George wrote a short note, expressing a cheery. He was setting up the house, and was stamp on whom May came in. She was fresh from her ride. Her eyes were bright, her smile was glowing. There was something in her gay bearing, and the clear light of health in her face.

George. Why should she have no note to him? He was a good boy, she should be considerate.

George. To some extent she was the cause of his bad self. He would never have left Sir George any money, but he would never have left the clutches of Abaslon & Co. This was all as special as his other moralities. He had been a good boy for a moment that he had fallen into the trap set by Copley. What he was was some one to be liked.

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He was a good boy, he cried. I beg pardon, but I can't think of any other word. You just seem to be what what about we are to do with Mr. Copley. Do you know that if he liked

Specialist Did Skin
Trouble No Good

Very Itchy and Disfiguring. Got a Little Cuticura Soap and Oint-
ment and Was Cured.

"For two summers I suffered with skin trouble. It was a terrible affliction. My legs from my knee down. My arms were bad, and my hands were sore and covered. It caused me the hives, and was very itchy. I consulted a specialist, who told me to use Cuticura Ointment, but seemed to do no good. It was a terrible affliction. I got a little Cuticura Ointment, and some Cuticura Soap. I took a touch of Cuticura Soap to relieve, and before the Cuticura Ointment had come, I had a great improvement, and do feel pleased to think I have something to give confidence in. And I think Cuticura Ointment is the best, ever seen. Price is 25 cents a tube. Mail order. Drug & Chem. Corp., sole prop., 67 Columbus Ave., Boston, U.S.A.

Cold-Sore Began to Heal With First
Use of Cuticura Ointment.

"Cuticura Ointment cured a very bad cold-sore that gave me hours of severe pain. I had tried all sorts of lotions and other remedies, but nothing did me any good till I tried Cuticura Ointment. It began to heal and now is gone. I am very pleased with Cuticura Ointment. It is a liberal sample of each tube. Price is 25 cents. Mail order. Drug & Chem. Corp., sole prop., 67 Columbus Ave., Boston, U.S.A.

W. N. U. 804

He could tell us out of the house tomorrow? Do you know that were this morning he had saved us from a great disgrace? And he does all this for nothing. I would like to assure you that Mr. Raymond Copley is not the man to be played with. He is a man of great wealth, and why this violence? I don't in the least want to play with Mr. Copley. Oh, I know, you say, he ought to be proud, to think that a man like that is ready to let his wife go. No, I want you to realize that if you treat him in this way any longer, I will very likely be compelled to let him go, and use beating about the barn. We are in his hands. And, therefore, you must do as I tell you.

Must, my dear father. Surely—Oh, I am not going to listen to any more of your old stories. You and your wife are either going to marry Mr. Copley or I wash my hands of you altogether. You are not fit to be the mother of a girl. Now you quite understand me? This thing is not settled to-morrow, then I will tell you.

CHAPTER XXXI
At Ultimatum

It was a cruel shock to the girl, who had never heard her father speak so harshly. She had been a good and honest girl, and had many friends; indeed, their relationship had been that of a mother and a dear friend.

She had shared in Sir George's pleasures. She had been a good girl, and had been allowed to do exactly as she pleased.

The business improved and, partly

due to the feelings between the widow and the father, the latter finally in a proposal

to make the wedding a success.

The usual preliminaries the ceremony took place, followed by an adjournment to the hotel to complete the legal formalities.

The necessary particulars were drawn up, and the marriage registered.

And with a hearty "Good-bye," John

settled by a Widow.

A buson and winsome widow de-
cided to make her late husband's

name, and appointed a confidential and re-
liable man, one John Jinx, as his

lawyer, and a clever business man,

and clever business man, could not

possibly be found in the country.

He taught him to write, "Settled, John Jinx,

Settled, John Jinx," giving a receipt for ac-
counts paid him.

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A Quick Book-Keeping System

It's curious to observe says a Mary

that she has a very poor way of

illiterates persons proper. I once

had business that used to take me at

least two hours to figure out.

One occasion I went into a store there, the prop-
erty of a man who was a

good man, but not a very

good book-keeper. I told him

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THE MAN WHO AIMS

BY KALGOS

Ising of the man who aims,
The fellow who means to "get there,"
I'll try to deal just with his claims,
And hear what he says of his sphere,
But I don't like the way that he frames
His aims that are lighter than air.

For the man who will tell you today
What he on the morrow will do,
May mean just to do it that way,
And think he is promising true,
But life, I must truthfully say,
Has slips and mistakes not a few.

I knew a young man long ago,
And above the average he was,
And he said just give him a show
And he'd carve a high destiny,
But his progress has been very slow;
He's a failure complete, don't you see.

I've found that a man who depends
On self is a failure sometimes,
And he who depends on his friends
So seldom to victory climbs
That I think that success springs and ends
In plodding along like these rhymes.

It's work and the pleasure in work
That carries one on to success,
And he who would haggle or shirk
Amounts to but little, I guess—
Don't promise, but toil like a Turk,
That's the pith and the point, I'll confess.

PITHY POINTS ALONG THE LINE OF PROGRESS

Some people think so much about the crown they are going to wear over yonder that they don't help anybody to wear a smile down here.

If you want to be popular, say but little about your own accomplishments but give the other fellow every opportunity to blow about his.

If you don't say all you think of saying you may come nearer saying all you ought to say, and not have the devil to pay.

The man who studies his own shortcomings and failures is the only one who can have true charity for other people.

No life can be a continual round of pleasure unless somebody pays the piddler, and to lots of people paying for anything is not a pleasure.

UNITED STATES POLITICS

The following editorial, written by the editor of *Progress* and published a year ago last November in the *Brooks Banner*, is not inappropriate for re-publication, in the light of recent political events.

There is a lesson in the late political upheaval in the United States, and it will be well if the Republican leaders pay heed to it. The Republican party came into power as an anti-slavery party. It stood for human rights and the liberation of three million blacks in the South where the cry of the oppressed had reached heaven. Its purpose was accomplished and in a reconstructed south it made a record and interested itself in power. Gathering strength it came at last to another great issue, the tariff. It had to plot that issue in the forefront all these years. It has not always been straight and true in attempts to settle the question but has made a rag baby of it. Since the administration of President Taft began the party has blundered with this issue notoriously and many Republicans have turned away from the party in disgust because it so signal failed to keep its pledges. Taft himself has shown no disposition to keep

these pledges but rather to ignore them. His main thought has been party unity above government or anything else and he evidently holds party fealty higher even than his duty as chief magistrate of the nation. So instead he has been for preserving party organization that even politicians have been disgusted and instead of preserving his party he has torn it asunder.

At the time when things were at the very worst in a party way, Theodore Roosevelt, after a year's retirement, came out of the jungle muddling with the blood of his victims, without cause invitation or entreaty from party or people plunged at once into the fight like a hippopotamus into the mucky water of politics.

Everyone who has thought

that he was the great one and the

only one who could unite factions and bring victory to the Republican party in the state elections. He went to Indiana to make his headquarters for the campaign and Indians went down to their tribal status.

He dominated the New York convention and named the candidate for governor and Stevens was defeated. He has found that the big states, whose leaders give him no influence in public, and that he can't ride the high tariff and the tariff horses both at the same time, and not be unseated, even if he is a Rough Rider. Roosevelt has done some good

Our Advertisers

The personal guarantee of the publisher of *Progress* stands back of every advertisement in this paper. Deal with them; they are reliable.

SEE CARLSTADT

THE STAR OF PROGRESS

BEFORE SETTLING IN SUNNY SOUTHERN ALBERTA

"GET YOUR CANADIAN HOME FROM THE CANADIAN PACIFIC"

WESTERN CANADA'S DAY

This has been referred to as Canada's century. In Western Canada we use no such general term. This is Western Canada's century, decade, year, month, week and day. With the passing of each twenty-four hour period, new business blocks and homes are under construction; new lines of railway have pushed on a little further, and each day is brighter than the one preceding.

There is no safer or surer investment today than lands or town lots in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. If you wish your dollars to work every Western Canadian Day call on or address

Canadian Pacific Irrigation Colonization Co., Ltd.
Calgary, Alberta

We want your newsitems
You will confer a
Favor by handing them
in every week

things, for which we give him credit, and he has the courage of his convictions and is fearless but he is not a politician. Neither is he a statesman. No statesman would ever have made the mistake of forcing himself into a campaign where he was not wanted. He has been a political snob, snubbed and discredited Roosevelt and his methods and the verdict has gone forth that in taking so active a part in the late campaign he has been a meddler and a meddler, and Taft is just what the people of the United States are going to do. Too bad that Bryan is to be a remote possibility, and Taft is in the same boat.

When a party goes into power or is compelled to go into power it is a certain and deliberate purpose on the part of that measure as the Republican party has done under Taft that is but one way that the people can get relief and that way is to put the party out of power, and to pack the party out of power, and just when the people of the United States are going to do.

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The death knell of the Republican party in the United States was sounded last week in Chicago in the national Republican convention. William Howard Taft was nominated for president in a convention

Extray

From Township 22—Range 7—
See 10—Two mares, one dark brown
had extra heavy halter on, branded

87 on left shoulder, five years old.
One dark brown mare colt, 2 years old, branded same as above. White
blazed forehead, \$20 Reward for re-
turn, to—S. Sylvester, Carlstadt
P. O.

The Loyal Temperance Legion
will have a picnic out at Mrs. Boyd's
on Saturday June 29.

There will be a wagon and trusty
team of horses at the church at 1.
o'clock p. m. to take all the children
there. Three mothers will accompany

the children. All L. T. L. children
and Sunday School children invited.

COMMITTEE.

POOL AND
BILLIARDS

BARBER SHOP IN CONNECTION
CIGARS AND TOBACCO

Under new management

W. H. JOHNSON

Proprietor

Give us Your
PRINTING
We will
Do it right and
Always ready when
Called forHITCH UP
TO A GOOD MACHINE

The question of what machine to harvest with is an important one.

An incorrectly constructed binder will not get all the grain, but will leave a large percentage of good grain feed, but a dead loss to you.

Your harvest will be most profitable if you

HITCH UP
TO A
DEERING MACHINE

Scollard & Hegy

HOMESTEADERS

GOING AWAY

FOR THE SUMMER

SHOULD HAVE

PROGRESS

Expects to stake out a trail all its own in the journalism of Western Canada and will not take any other newspaper as a guide or pattern, not because we are a bigot and think our way the only way but because we like variety and believe the people generally like even a semblance of originality, and also we have a hobby and that hobby is to print the local news. We are going to strive to be worthy of our name

PROGRESS

IT WILL BE SENT

TO ANY ADDRESS FOR

ONE DOLLAR

POSTAGE TO STATES

ONE CENT A WEEK

Our readers cannot fail to notice the advertisement of B. G. fruit lands in this issue of *Progress*. If you buy from Fred L. Harris you are assured that you are getting a square deal. Mr. Harris would like to have an agent in Carlstadt and offers excellent inducements.

JUDKINS OF PULLTIGHT

An Original Story

By Calvin Gross

While strolling about the city that evening Joshua passed the big building where a great historical and industrial exhibition was being held. He didn't know what it was all about but he thought if there was any kind of a show there he would like to see it. It might prove a pleasant diversion to the moving pictures which he had seen at Jonesville, the country seat of Buckhorn County, in which county Joshua had lived all his life. This was his first visit to a great city and he didn't know what city shows were like. He had heard Billy White, the bookseller in Jonesville, talk about shows he had seen in the city and Joshua thought that if this was anything like that Billy had seen it would be well worth his time and money to go and see it. He stopped at the entrance, carefully read the banner that gave the price of admission, saw the crowds going in, and stepping up to the ticket window he paid his half dollar and went in with the rest.

What Joshua Judkins saw that night was a renovation and an education to the green country boy. He didn't really know there were so many kinds of machinery in the world. At first he was bored, and wondered when the real show would begin, but after a while he became interested and he spent a couple of hours taking it all in. "Gee," said he to himself, "I could write this up for the Bugle wouldn't it be great? But I could give them some pointers on machinery and things they never heard of before. And wouldn't I like to describe some of the people that I see here. Why, they'd call me a regular Dickens of a writer. That's one of my strong points, writing up people. Come mighty near getting licked for it once or twice, too."

Just then a stylish woman and her fashionable daughter, all bedecked with silk ribbons and jewels and moving in an invisible cloud of breath of noses, passed where Joshua stood admiring a patient wheelchair and he heard the daughter say, "Dearie, mama, but isn't he the greenie?" Joshua heard the remark and was about to make a retort when he thought of his application for a place on the Bugle and decided there and then if he ever should write anything for the Bugle just such people as these idle rich would get a showing up that would teach them that some people are diamonds in the rough and by no means as green as they look. And the girl was so nice looking too.

At ten the next morning Joshua was in the editor's room and, with bat in hand, sat and waited until the editor should be at leisure. There was an unusually heavy grit of copy that morning and for half an hour Butler had but two sentences, feeling and seeing, as he picked up page after page of copy, glanced over each and ran a blue pencil through a word here and a sentence or a paragraph further on. The young man looked on in wonder. He did not know what the blue pencil meant, nor in fact just why the editor was so absorbed in that stuff. Presently Butler turned in his chair and addressed his visitor.

"I'm going to try you, but I hardly know what sort of assignment to give you. What did you do last night?"

"Went to a show," said Joshua. "I was pretty extravagant. Pap would say me off if he heard it, and throwing money away to go to shows. I thinks they are wicked, that is if there's anything, and the lights are the only the wickedness there are. I want to show where all the machinery and things are. Talk about shows. I'd like to write that one up. I could make a hell book out of it."

"Yes?" said Butler. "The industrial exposition. So you took that in? Very well, write what you see there.

let him go ahead and write up that exposition in his infinite way as long as the show lasts, provided he can maintain the pace he has set for himself."

Joshua Judkins was the lion of the day. The boys intercepted him as he came to the managing editor's room a few hours later and gave him the glad hand. Men smiled at each other on the streets and pointed him out to the new reporter on the Bugle. Women discussed the exposition writer at their tea parties and wondered who the writer could be.

The name was new to them.

There was little jealous rivalry

among the reporters of the Bugle and none of them was jealous of Joshua. They were glad to see the young boy making so great a success with his first assignment.

For two weeks while the exposition lasted there was a descriptive column or more in the Bugle each day giving a dull, account of the exposition, the exhibits and the people who visited them, as seen through the eyes of Joshua Judkins. People read and commented on the exquisite and spontaneous humor of these productions and they were copied extemporaneously and commented upon in other newspapers. All this was known to Joshua but his head was not turned by the praise that was given him. In fact he treated it all lightly and did not appear to appreciate the honor that was being bestowed upon him.

A day or two after the series of articles was concluded, Mr. Butler called Joshua into the sanctum and handed him a check for fifty dollars for the work done and at the same time told him that his man had been placed on the reportorial staff at a salary of twenty-five dollars a week. Judkins was under Tingley's supervision and it was seldom after this that he reported to the managing editor. In addition to the descriptive work he had been doing Joshua developed a talent for short, pointed commentaries on local subjects and the news of the day and these were received with as much favor as the other articles had elicited. In this sort of work he was sometimes called upon by Mr. Butler to furnish bits of verse to fit particular occasions.

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The new booklet, "Harris' New Method of Apple Culture," tells you how apples can be made to come into commercial bearing the second year. The old way you had to wait five years. When a farmer made \$1,500 he can now make \$3,000 per acre. It is free if you will send me the names of ten of your friends or relatives who may be interested in buying fruit lands. I have sold to over 400 people the last four months and would be pleased to send you copies of some of the nice letters that they have written to me. Which I received from those who have visited their holdings which I picked out for them.

I refund your money if after seeing the tract I select for you, you are not satisfied with it or with the rest I have to offer. If you cannot go onto your tract and wish to maintain your present position for a few years, and spend your vacation out there, I will agree to place it and take care of it for you for five years at a small additional cost and give you a share of the profits from crops. I allow you a discount of ten per cent for cash, and give you a good commission in case you can secure buyers for me.

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An occasional herd of cattle are to be found in the vicinity of Carlstadt, England & England.

Among the most common rumors in this country, are rumors of new railroads and about half the house-keepers you talk to have a "new road that will come just across one corner of my hall section." Among the latest rumors is one to the effect that Carlstadt will have a line connecting with the rich farming country north of the Red Deer river in the early future. This information is from a semi-official source and there is probably some truth in it.

Send me the address as soon as possible of such a rich widow and I think I can do the rest and marry her. Sir, let me know at the same time, how many millions she has, that everybody observes the day.

There is something fascinating to the writer, who is accustomed to let his soul flow through his finger tips, in a clean blank sheet of paper. He looks at the unsullied whiteness of the page that lies before him and he feels that somewhere back in the labyrinth and convolutions of his brain there are thoughts like live and throbbing things waiting to be pictured there in visible signs. Sometimes the transference of those thoughts and memories to paper is disappointing, for none of us ever can tell just as we think they ought to be told those things that are evolved in the brain's workshop. No writer ever wrote a story that in every word and line was according to his ambition. And not even Goldsmith or Charles Lamb or Hawthorne was ever satisfied with his mastery of language. The better one can write the less is he satisfied with the product of brain and pen. He knows that thought and language are elusive, but the joy and the reward lies in the attempt to do his very best and the pure white sheet is an inspiration to draw out and fix in written characters, the visible signs of speech, his very best thoughts.

The third tragedy of the month occurred at Brooks last Wednesday when a little boy, son of Mr. Sands, C.P.R. irrigation department engineer, was found dead in the pond a short distance from the department headquarters. The little fellow was in swimming and was drowned.

In conversation a day or two ago with a gentleman who travels among farmers all over the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the editor of *Progress* was told that never before in these three provinces has there been better prospects for good crops. In all three of the provinces the crops are well advanced.

There was a horse race Saturday afternoon between two horses, one of which belonged to B. F. Hansen and the other to A. C. C. The race was an exciting one and the contest so close that the judges called it a tie.

You may not find many startling sensations in *Progress* but you will always find the local news and general articles, stories, etc sufficient to make it interesting. We think our readers will all acknowledge that we do get the local news.

A party of gentlemen are here from Indiana looking for land and will probably get located in the vicinity of Carlstadt.

Land values are increasing rapidly in South Alberta and will never be lower. Now is the best time to invest. Land in the vicinity of Carlstadt is a gilt edge investment. The town will grow and values will increase.

John Coffin who has been postmaster at Hoskin has leased the building formerly occupied by H. R. Bran and will put in a stock of dry goods and groceries, at once. Mr. Coffin has spent most of his life in the mercantile business.

The Duke of Sutherland recently doubled his holdings at Brooks and now has sixteen thousand acres of land which he divides up into small farms and sells to British colonists. New houses for colonists are being built now and many others will follow in the near future.

The extremely hot weather of the past week has caused a good deal of discomfort. The thermometer was registered as high as 95 in the shade and as the sun shone brightly for nearly seventeen hours every day it is no wonder that the weather is warm.

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ALBERT WHITNEY.

Hoskin, Alta.

Two lots between New Drug Store and Ball's restaurant, 25 and 26, Block 3, \$300.00 each. This is a good buy. England & England.

It may surprise some people to know that there are black-tailed deer in this part of the country. The editor of *Progress* has been informed by a government game warden that on Sand Creek north of the Red Deer river, there is a herd of six of these animals who make their home in among a clump of cottonwood trees.

Mr. West, teacher in the Carlstadt school, who was taken seriously ill last week, was removed to the hospital at Medicine Hat Monday evening. The pupils will have a vacation until Mr. West is well or other arrangements are made.

We sometimes wonder if in the final summing up of the causes that have led to the rapid development of this last great west the newspapers will receive proper credit. They have certainly had very much to do in the great work.

Coyote pups are now worth six dollars apiece. Four years ago but it is to be restored again next year when one dollar will be paid by the government for killing them. At that it will take something more than an amateur to make wages killing them. They are a very wary animal and hard to shoot.

Towns are like individuals. In fact towns are made up of individuals, and when these individuals combine their energies and work together for advancement the town is bound to grow and prosper. But there are few towns that live up to their aspirations. There is a tide in the affairs of towns which taken as the flood leads on to fortune. Let us grasp our opportunities and make all out of them we can.

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A very enjoyable picnic was held at the Red Deer river on the 24th of May. A good crowd was present and everyone had a good time thanks to the Farmers Union and the School.

Another picnic will be held on Dominion Day, July 1st, under the auspices of the River Bend and Rainy Hill's Sunday Schools, at the river. Everyone is invited to come "the more the merrier." Get down that lunch basket and bring your friends.

Piano lessons held & service in Norwegian at Mr. Clausen's on June 2, and will hold services in English on June 30th at J. T. Eng's. Everyone welcome.

The survey party on the railroad is working east of here, and expect to be in 21st at end of this week.

Mr. P. J. O'Connor is ploughing again having secured the necessary repairs for his engine.

At this season of the year there are a large number of prospective settlers traveling over the province of Alberta looking for the best place in which to make a home. To all such we can recommend Carlstadt and vicinity; the soil here is as good as can be found in any of the provinces, and the seasons are better than in many other localities.

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